

# ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

## THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 10, 1866.

**BRINGING HIM TO THE TEST.—**There was a curious scene lately at a town meeting at Berlin. The gathering was composed of councilors, butchers and doctors, and the account reads like something from the dark ages. At the conclusion of a speech by Prof. Virchow, urging the necessity of instituting microscopic examinations of pork, he handed the President a piece of smoked sausage, and of meat that had been recognized as rachinous. Thereupon a veterinary practitioner named Urban rose and contended the whole thing was a vision. "Truly," he said, "are the most harmless animals in the world. It is only doctors who practice who make a noise about them, in order to create some occupation to themselves, etc. There was great quietness, and the President was obliged to stop the veterinarian. Drs. Virchow and Mason denied an apology from Urban, and Mason challenged Urban to eat some of the sausage on the President's table. [Great applause.] Urban wished to quit. The meeting calls upon him to eat. He had not spoken of Berlin doctors, [etc., eat] but of those at Hederstab [etc., eat]. He would first see whether the sausage contained trichinae. [Great laughter and continued cries of eat, eat, eat.] Whereupon Urban sold my size the sausage on the President's table, bites off a piece and eats it, and leaves the hall forthwith, amid the groans and laughter of the assembly. Five days later Urban was in bed, his arms and legs paralyzed. Whether he since died is not reported. He was doubtless a great fool, but if indeed will be little short of murder that the meeting committed.

**NINTH ANNUAL BALL**  
OF THE  
GERMAN BENEVOLENT SOCIETY,  
TO BE HELD  
AT THE MAGNOLIA HALL  
ON MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 2d, 1866.  
FLOOR MANAGERS,  
John Wensell Fred. Schmidt.

**COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.**  
Henry Huber, John Swep.  
F. Melcher, Gottlieb Kastner.  
F. Corp, Julius Schmid.  
Jos. Colms, John West.  
C. Conrad Wahl, George Paul.  
J. E. Hartshorn, Gen. B. Hart.  
The friends of the Society are particularly invited.  
Tickets \$1. To commence at 8 o'clock  
mh 6-1d

**FENIAN BROTHERHOOD.**  
The regular weekly meetings of the  
ALEXANDRIA CIRCLE OF  
FENIAN BROTHERHOOD,  
ARE HELD ON  
THURSDAY EVENINGS  
AT HALF-PAST SEVEN O'CLOCK.  
At the FRIENDSHIP ENGINE HOUSE,  
Alfred street;

All along patriots known to the Committee of Safety, are respectfully invited to join this, their Holy Cause.  
Bon's can be had of Capt. F. Malone, Washington, or by a King & Prince; Owen Nugent, corner King and Parke; John M. Nolin, 43 King street, and D. M. Farlong, 1, south Fairfax street. On behalf of the circle: JOHN F. DONOVAN, Secretary.  
MARTIN BERGREN, Sergeant-at-Arms.  
mh 0-11

**BY J. F. ROTT, AUGUSTINE.**  
**VARIABLE LOT FOR SALE.** The prop-  
ert, com orderly called and known by the  
name of "HOFF'S MEADOW," at the west  
end of King st., containing FIVE ACRES,  
in or 1s., is offered for sale.

If it is not for private sale before Saturday, the 1st day of April, 1866, it will be offered  
at public auction on that day in front  
of the Mayor's office, at 12 o'clock.

**TERMS.—**On third cash, the balance in three  
and six months.  
Apply to Mr. M. J. Hooff at P. H. Hooff's  
Prince street or to

**LAWRENCE B. TAYLOR,**  
At attorney at law.

**E. H. CLARKSON,**  
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN  
TIN, SHEET IRON, and  
JAPANNED WARE,  
Wholesale and Retail.

**NO. 77, PRINCE ST.,**  
Opposite the Office of  
A. EXALDRIA, VA.

Particular attention paid to Roofing, Spou-  
ning and Ware, in City and Country, at  
moderate prices.  
All work warrantied.

**HOUSE ESTABLISHED IN 1800.**

**W. A. ADAM,**  
78, KING STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

**WATCHES,**  
JEWELRY,  
SILVER & PLATED WARE,  
SPECTACLES.

**FANCY GOODS, &  
ENGRAVING & REPAIRING NEATLY  
EXECUTED.**

**SPECTACLES AND EYE GLASSES** to suit  
the eyes of all ages. mh 10-11

**GEO. DUFFEY,**  
CLOCK AND WATCHMAKER,  
has removed to No. 113, King street, two  
doors above Pitt.

**WRECKERS AND JEWELRY** carefully repaired  
and with dispatch. He would respectfully ask  
a call from his former friends, and the public  
generally. All work warrantied.

**"LIVE AND LET LIVE."**

**JUST RE-EIVED.**  
2000 lbs. Virginia Cured Bacon.  
200 lbs. Country Lard.

**H. W. LOOMIS,**  
at 188, King street.

**N. B.—**On hand at all the time a good assort-  
ment of GROCERIES and PROVISIONS.

**mh 27-1w\***

**M. CLASSEN'S GROCERY** "AILROAD."

**M.** In order of the Board of Public Works  
adopted January 20, 1866, a meeting of the  
stockholders of the Mississipian Gap & Co. will  
be held at the court house in Alexandria on  
WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of April, next, for  
the purpose of electing officers and the transac-  
tion of any other business that may come before  
them. J. M. HERNDON,  
mh 5-1dawd. See of Board of Public Works.

**WOOD!** WOOD!!

50 cords Oak Wood.

30 " Pine.

Now lan- ging and for sale by

**W. A. SMOOT,**  
No. 2, N. Union st.

**STORE AND WHARF FOR RENT.** —On

the most desirable lands on a ship canal

and wharf in the city.—**STORE** No. 3,

Kings street, at present occupied by Messrs.

Browne & Co. Also the wharf at the foot of

King street, very desirable as a wood yard and

warehouse. To let on a rental once. Apply to

the 2d. W. H. T. BROWN & CO.

**POTATOES—200 bush. P. & Bloom.**

100 bush. White and Black Mercers, and 100

bush. Early White sprouts, for sale by

mh 20-11 T. H. BOUSH & CO.

**PRIME WHITE LIVER SKIN CLOTHES**, just received and for a & by

JANNEY & CO., 145 King street

**STUBLLE PACIFIC GUANO.** For sale by

JOHN S. KNOX, Jr., S. Agent No. 1.

**MOUNTAIN HAMS.** For sale by

JNO. S. KNOX, Jr., No. 14, Union st.

## FOR 60'S &c.

**CHARLES W. GREEN,**  
DEALER IN  
FOREIGN & DOMESTIC FANCY GOODS,  
NOTIONS, DRY GOODS,  
DRESS TRIMMINGS, LADIES  
FURNISHING GOODS,  
WHITE GOODS,  
GENTS FURNISHING GOODS,  
OIL CLOTHS, &c., &c.

Would respectfully solicit an examination of  
stock.

**NO. 19, NORTH FAIRFAX STREET,**  
IN MANSION HOUSE BUILDING,  
march—tf

**NEW PARASOLS AND SUN SHADES**  
(A beautiful assortment.)

**100 PIECES NEW CALICOES, (CHEAP),**  
NEW HAMBURG

**EDGINGS AND INSERTINGS.**

**FIFTY PIECES BLEACHED COTTONS**

**TABLE AND IRISH LINENS, AND**

**WHITE GOODS IN EVERY VARIETY.**

Our entire stock of  
WINTER DRY GOODS,

FANCY DRESS GOODS,

CLOAKS, SHAWLS, & BLANKETS,

We will continue to sell at from

**20 TO 30 PER CENT  
REDUCTION.**

**M. TAYLOR & CO.,**

No. 42, Centre Market Space,

mh 2-ly Washington, D. C.

**KING STREET, 161**

Near Washington street,

**A DRY GOODS STORE IS SELLING OUT.**

\$10,000 worth of

**DRY GOODS AND SHOES,**

to be sold at less than Cost Prices.

**M. FLEISCHER,**

No. 161, KING STREET,

offers his whole stock of

**DRY GOODS AND SHOES,**

at less than Cost Prices, and earnestly calls all his

friends and customers to give him a call and

examine his stock, as this is no humbug, and the goods must be sold by the 15th of April next.

Those who are indebted to me will please call and make payment, and all those to whom I am indebted will please call and require payment.

Star to be closed every Saturday until 7 o'clock p.m.

**M. FLEISCHER,**

mh 6-1m No. 161 King st. et cetera.

**D R Y G O O D S S T O R E .**

**GEORGE BRYAN,** R. W. BREWER,

of the late firm of Bryan & Adams.

**BRYAN & BREWER,** D.

Have opened a well selected stock of DRY

GOODS, at the old stand of Bryan & Adams,

No. 76, King street, where they invite their friends and the public to call and make their purchases.

jan 27-2m

**THE CELEBRATED  
SMITH'S PATENT  
STEEL PLOWS.**

**SOLE AGENCY FOR THE SOUTH.**

Mouldboards, Land-sides, and Shares of cast  
steel, cast in regular moulds and highly temper-  
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This is the greatest improvement in agricultural

implements of the age.

Prompts, with full particulars, ready for  
distribution, and will be forwarded by mail on  
application.

No farmer should fail to look into the merits  
of this great plow.

Dealers supplied at wholesale rates.

For sale at Factory Price by

**J. P. BARTHOLLOW & CO.,**

No. 25, King street,

Alexandria, Va.

mh 17-20m 558 7th st., Washington D. C.

**FERTILIZERS.**

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**BRUCE'S**

**CONCENTRATED FERTILIZER**

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**M. B. SINCLAIR, Clerk,**

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SOMBRERO GUANO,

BONE DUST,

KETTLEWELL'S MANIPULATED GUANO,

EXCELSIOR,

and other SUPER PHOSPHATES,

PLASTER,

LUMP and GROUND,

at lowest market rates.

Also FOWLER & CO'S

SOLUBLE PHOSPHATIC PERUVIAN GUANO.

which has been used by the farmers of Mary-

land and for several years, most successfully.

It is exceedingly adapted to

ALSO,

RICH PHOSPHATIC GUANO.

HAY, GRAIN and FEED always on hand

ideal for stock, attention to his unusually large

and fine stock of

SWAN ISLAND GUANO,